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## Council Report August 6, 2012

Dozens of family members and friends enjoyed the Paula R. Woods Park dedication on July 16. A new memorial bench in memory of Ron Woods, an ADA compliant and pet friendly water fountain, and landscape plantings are being added to the neighborhood park at Lawn and Vine.

The Wabash Heritage Trail extension project, into and throughout Happy Hollow Park, has substantially been completed and is open for public use. WLPR staff will be completing associated park improvements work during the next several months. A commemorative opening of the trail in the park will be scheduled.

Summer Sports Programs and the Playground Program have been completed. Thanks to the West Lafayette Community School Corporation for their continuing cooperation with using their facilities for many programs.

Tapawingo Park was enjoyed by thousands of people during the Stars and Stripes (July 4), River Fest (July 14), and Dancing in the Streets (July 21) events.

The last day to enjoy the Municipal Pool this summer is August 12. There were 1,484 registrations for swim lessons this year.

Adult Recreational Softball League Tournaments are underway.

Thanks to the 11 young men from the national Sigma Chi fraternity meeting in West Lafayette for their work to repaint the shelter by the Happy Hollow Park playground.

Global Fest will be September 1, 10:00 am to 9:00 pm, at Morton Community Center. The Naturalization Ceremony at Morton Community Center will be at 2:00 pm on August 31.

The next Park Board meeting is August 20 at 4:30 pm in City Hall.

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